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METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING DATABSE NODE ACCESS CONTROL FUNCTIONALITY IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK ROUTING

NODE

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, applicants' undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the following references. Copies of the references as well as Form PTO/SB/08A are attached hereto. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

- *U.S. Patent No. 6,128,379 to Smyk discloses intelligent data peripheral systems and method.
- *U.S. Patent No. 6,125,177 to Whittaker discloses a telephone communications network with enhanced signaling and call routing.
- *U.S. Patent No. 6,122,263 to <u>Dahlin et al.</u> discloses internet access for cellular networks.
- *U.S. Patent No. 6,118,780 to <u>Dunn et al.</u> discloses communication network and method of operation for real time user selection of voice and/or data paths in the network.
- *U.S. Patent No. 6,118,779 to Madonna discloses an apparatus and method for interfacing to a telecommunications switching system.

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*U.S. Patent No. 6,144,667 to Doshi et al. discloses a network-based method apparatus for initiating and completing a telephone call via the Internet.

*U.S. Patent No. 5,999,301 to <u>Christie</u> discloses a broadb: telecommunications system.

* Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d)(1), a copy of the identified co-pending U patent application or reference is not attached hereto because a copy was provided commonly-assigned co-pending U.S. patent application number 09/205,809, which relied upon for an earlier effective filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120.

Early passage of the subject application to issue is earnestly solicited.

Although it is believed that no fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorize to charge any deficiencies of payment associated with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement to Deposit Account No. 50-0426.

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Sir:

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

- 1. A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
- 2. Form PTO/SB/08A (1 page), in duplicate; and
- 3. A return-receipt postcard to be returned to us with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office filing stamp thereon.

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